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LIVELY BUT NOT TOO QUICK

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p Dolce.

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6 6

Gai - - ly sounds the Cas - ta - net, Beating time to

stacc molto

bound - ing feet, When, af - ter day - light's gold - en set,

Maids and Youths by moon - light met. Oh! then, how

mf > *p*

sweet to move Thro' all that maze of mirth, - -

Lighted by those eyes we love, Be-yond all eyes on

earth.

f *ff* *rf*

Then, the joy-ous ban-quet spread On the cool and

stacc molto

fragrant ground, With night's bright eye-beams o-ver head,

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And still brighter sparkling round. Oh! then, how

hr

mf > *p*

sweet to say In - to the lov'd one's ear, - - - -

Cres

Thoughts reserv'd through many a day, To be thus whisper'd here.

f *ff* *rf*

When the dance and feast are done, Arm in arm as

home we stray; How sweet to see the dawn-ing sun

O'er her cheek's warm blush-es play! Then, then the

mf *p*

fare-well kiss, And words whose part-ing tone - - -

Lingers still in dreams of bliss, That haunt young hearts a-lone.

f *ff* *rf*